

# Kentucky Board of Nursing: Clinical Internship

Effective January 1, 2006, all nurses seeking licensure by examination will be required to complete a clinical internship prior to taking the NCLEX examination and full licensure. Since there seems to be a large number of questions related to the implementation of the internship, the KBN staff has established a series of regional presentations where the new regulation will be discussed in detail. Each session will be approximately one hour in length with time for questions following.

## Presenters:

Patricia Spurr, Nursing Education Consultant  
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## Target Audience:

Nurse Recruiters; Nurse Managers; Human Resource Professionals

## Objectives:

- Outline the collaborative process undertaken within the nursing community to address concerns regarding congruence of education and practice expectation of nursing employers.
- Discuss the implementation strategies utilized for assimilating the integrated practicum into nursing curriculums across the state.
- Describe the approaches undertaken to incorporate the clinical internship into the orientation of newly employed nursing graduates.

## Session Details:

Central Kentucky		
<b>Location:</b> Kentucky Board of Nursing 312 Whittington Pky, Ste 300 Louisville, KY 40222		
<b>Dates:</b> Tuesday, October 4 or Tuesday, October 11 or Tuesday, November 1		
<b>Sessions:</b> 10:30 a.m. or 1:30 p.m. (each day)		
Eastern Kentucky	Western Kentucky	Northern Kentucky
<b>Date:</b> Wednesday, October 19	<b>Date:</b> Wednesday, October 12	<b>Date:</b> Tuesday, October 25
<b>Sessions:</b> 10:30 a.m. or 1:30 p.m.	<b>Sessions:</b> 10:30 a.m. or 1:30 p.m.	<b>Sessions:</b> 10:30 a.m. or 1:30 p.m.
<b>Site:</b> King's Daughters Medical Center Paul G. Blazer Jr. Health Education Center 2201 Lexington Ave Ashland, KY 41101  <b>Location:</b> Auditorium of the Health Education Center (Lower Level, Lexington Ave Parking Garage)	<b>Site:</b> Lourdes Hospital 1530 Lone Oak Rd Interstate 24, Exit 7 Paducah, KY 42003  <b>Location:</b> Borders Community Room Marshall Nener Pavilion	<b>Site:</b> St. Elizabeth – South 1 Medical Village Dr Edgewood, KY 41007  <b>Location:</b> Medical Office Building Room 249 (Adjacent to the Hospital)

## Registration:

To ensure adequate space at each session, those interested in attending should register by one of the following methods:  
**Call** 1-800-305-2042 or 502-429-3300, Ext. 299      **Fax** 502-696-5762      **E-mail** [LilaA.Hicks@ky.gov](mailto:LilaA.Hicks@ky.gov)

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Location \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_ Time \_\_\_\_\_ # Attending \_\_\_\_\_

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